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In re application of:)	Examiner: Mosher, Mary
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Avi ASHKENAZI, et al.)	Art Unit: 1648
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Application Serial No. 09/905,449)	Attorney's Docket No. 39780-1618 P2C21
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Filed: July 13, 2001)	Customer No. 35489
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on November 10, 2003 in connection with the above-identified patent application, please consider the following remarks. The present Response is accompanied by a request for a two-month extension of time and the requisite fee, therefore, it is timely filed.

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